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Pudur's, Inc.
Growers of
PLANTS, SEEDS & BULBS
Puyallup, Wash., U.S.A.



Fall and Spring Seasons 1944-1945



Terms—Rules

First: No Plant order is filled for less than \$1.50, unless you pay 25 cents extra for packing and postage. No seed order is filled for less than 25 cents.

Second: We pay the postage on all mail orders, but plants on which we pay the postage are of necessity smaller than those upon which you are willing to pay the postage or have sent by express. You understand that we cannot pay out the biggest part of our profit for postage. Therefore, if you are willing to pay the express charges, or will pay 10% on your order towards the postage, we gladly send you larger plants, **except in cases of rare and expensive plants or bulbs**, of which you can expect only small divisions at the best.

Third: We do not open accounts—we are too busy, and bookkeeping is too expensive. Neither do we send plants or seeds C. O. D. unless one-half is paid with the order.

Send Money Order, Express Order, Check or Draft.

If you send currency, have your letter registered; we assume no responsibility if money is sent in an ordinary letter.

If you must send stamps, please do not send more than 50c worth.

Fourth: All stock is offered subject to being unsold on receipt of order; if stock ordered is not available, unless you have named some substitutes, we will return your money—we do not substitute.

Fifth: We guarantee our plants and seeds to be true to name; if through some error on our part the plant turns out otherwise, we will replace it free of charge; this, however, does not apply to seedlings that have not bloomed yet and of which certain colors are ordered; we can give no warranty, express or implied, that the progeny will be true to the parent color; this applies particularly to Delphiniums, Columbines, Lupins and Oriental Poppies.

Sixth: The choice flower seeds offered herein are absolutely good and fresh and with reasonable care and skill on your part a large germination should be obtained in every case, with some exceptions, however, of a few notable bad germinators. Some seeds lie in the ground for a long time, some all Winter, and then come up strong in the Spring. With good care, all flower seeds are as good in the Spring as they were in the fall. Some people have the notion that Delphinium seeds lose all their strength by Spring. This is absolutely not the case; these seeds, if sown with ordinary care, are just as good for Spring sowing as they were in the Fall, the only difference being that instead of germinating in 10 days it might take them 3 or 4 weeks. We sow many ounces as late as April 15th; 30 days later we have a beautiful stand of thousands of seedlings, the long rows looking like a wide green ribbon.

Seventh: We are not responsible for delays in the mails, and particularly not if the stock is held up through Quarantine regulations. If you are so unfortunate as to live in a State that has stringent plant laws and where plants are sent, after being received at your Post Office, to a central inspection point, often many miles away, then opened up, handled, perhaps fumigated, and after such treatment carelessly re-packed and returned to your Post Office, often causing days of delays. We would advise shipments by express.

We want to thank all customers for their patronage in the past. On the basis of service and satisfaction we solicit your orders, large or small.

PUDOR'S, INC.

**ATTENTION—THIS CATALOG CANCELS ALL PREVIOUS
CATALOGS AND LISTS**

Please, **DO NOT** order from any previous catalog, not even of last season's. It only causes confusion and delays.

PLEASE DO NOTE

As only such seeds as germinate well in our own establishment are supplied to customers, we will not and cannot accept responsibility for failure in the hands of others whesemanagement, lack of equipment or lack of knowledge, may unconsciously be the cause of non-success.

Introduction

In compiling our 1944-45 Seed List, our aim has been to offer seeds and plants worth sowing and growing. Plants and seeds with high sounding names, unproven NOVELTIES, many of which have only little merit, we have rigidly excluded.

We do not believe in listing seeds or plants just because they are novelties or rare, hoping to sell them by omitting to say they are also deplorably unattractive and dull. We have made all descriptions as just and accurately as possible.


When we say that a flower is beautiful, we mean that we really do think it beautiful; and when we say that the color is blue or pink, we mean that it really is blue or pink.

HARDY PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

For Spring or Summer Sowing

ALL FLOWER SEEDS SENT POSTPAID

PLEASE DO NOTE!

 All seed packs contain a liberal amount of seeds. If you have a large garden, the most economical way to buy seeds is in bulk: 1/16 oz. and up, where so quoted.

In comparing competitive prices be assured that you get fewer and often inferior seed at the lower prices.

To grow high grade seeds takes more care and skill, and costs more money, but it certainly pays in the end to buy only such seed. This refers particularly to Delphinium, Columbine, Primroses, Pansies, Sweet Peas and Zinnias.

Fresh the seeds must be, of course, and be assured, ours are. Buying old or inferior seed is a waste of money and time.

ALYSSUM

SAXATILE COMPACTUM (Gold Dust). Rich golden yellow flowers. Rock Garden and front of border. Blooms with tulips. Pkt. 10c, 1/8 oz. 20c.

CITRINUM. A grand rock plant; a rounded cushion of gray leaves smothered in spring with lemon-yellow flowers. Height, 6 inches. Pkt. 15c, 1/16 oz. 25c.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS. The finest long spurred mixture yet introduced; our strain shows a wide variety of the loveliest pastel tints, perfectly formed flowers on long stems. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

BLUE SHADES. Large long spurred flowers. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 60c.

PINK SHADES. A true strain of Coral Pink only; long spurs. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 60c.

SNOW QUEEN. Long spurred, beautiful large pure white. Fragrant. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 60c.

CAERULEA. The wild COLORADO ROCKY MOUNTAIN Columbine; beautiful sky blue; loves moist shady places. Collected COLORADO SEEDS. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

LONGISSIMA. Delicate pale yellow spurs extremely long, often 4 inches. Pkt. (approx. 75 seeds) 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.50.

CRIMSON STAR. Long spurs, rich crimson with the center white tinged carmine, on erect 2-foot stems. An extra fine strain originally from Dobbies, the originators; comes 90 per cent true to color. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

AUBRETIA or ROCK CRESS

Large flowering hybrids of many beautiful blue, pink, rose and lilac shades. Make beautiful cushions of foliage and flowers; 6 inches, trailing. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 60c.

CAMPANULA (Harebells)

CARPATCIA. The blue Carpathian Harebell; glistening light blue. Height, 6 inches. Per pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 30c.

PERSICIFOLIA "TELHAM BEAUTY." The finest Peachbell; China blue. Height, 2 feet. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

THE WHITE PEACHBELL. Height, 2 feet. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

ROTUNDIFOLIA (Blue Bells of Scotland), var. "Olympica." This delight Harebell is a hardy perennial plant for the rockery; 8 in. high; blooms in June and continues till August. Easy from seeds. Color, a deep lavender-blue. Per pkt. 20c.

CANTERBURY BELL (biennials). Pudor's Prize Mixture. Comprising all colors of single and double and cup and saucer. Sow early in summer for next year's bloom. Per pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c.

CUP AND SAUCER CANTERBURY BELLS IN SEPARATE COLORS. Dark blue, light blue, rose and white. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 4 for 45c.

COREOPSIS

SUNKIST. Fully double; brilliant golden yellow; excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

CHABAUD'S EVERBLOOMING GIANT DOUBLE CARNATIONS (PERENNIAL)

These delightful fragrant flowers are easily grown from seed. Sow any time between March and September, depending on your locality. They will bloom from seed in about 5 months. Start the seeds in flats.

CARDINAL RED. Bright scarlet.

CRIMSON (NERO). Deep dark crimson.


LEGION OF HONOR. Deep salmon.

THE PEARL. Light pink.

DEEP ROSE.

Separate Colors. Per pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. of any color 75c; in the best MIXTURE, pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 65c.

DELPHINIUMS

 **PLEASE NOTE:** The 1944 Delphinium Seed Crop will be ready last of July to August first; plenty of time to get strong seedlings before winter comes.

This seed will be just as good for sowing in the Spring, only with this difference: In the fall the seeds will or should germinate in 10 to 14 days while in the spring it takes fully three weeks. We sow our seeds in the spring about May first, for fall seedlings, and many of these small seedlings will bloom in September in the seed rows, four to five months from seeds to blossoms! The following spring they will have developed into husky little clumps. Such is PUDOR'S PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. There is none better.

PUDOR'S PEDIGREED PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. The choicest seed you can obtain.

Mostly double $2\frac{1}{4}$ to 3 inch blooms; shades running from sky blue to the deepest blue; mostly with pinkish fillings. Height 6 to 8 feet. Prize winners for many of our customers in many cities year after year. In choicest MIXTURE, per pkt. (about 200 seeds plus) \$1.00, $\frac{1}{2}$ pkt. 60c; $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. (about 600 seeds) \$2.00.

PUDOR'S PRIVATE STRAIN No. 55/66. It was originally a cross between a PURE WHITE and a MOTHER OF PEARL color. Throws most extraordinary beautiful flowers in shades of double blues and pinks, purples and violets, with now and then a beautiful white. This is our pet strain for surprises. Per pkt. \$1.00; $\frac{1}{2}$ pkt. 60c; $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. \$2.50.



A Lovely New Seeding from our 55/66 Strain. A Beautiful all-cobalt blue. Note the fluted and ruffled flower petals.

GENERAL MIXTURE FIELD RUN PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. You will raise many beautiful plants from this mixture. We grow no poor specimens in our field. Pkt. 50c, $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. \$1.00

PUDOR'S DREAM. Still one of the finest Delphiniums we have. Everyone marvels at the great beauty of a well grown clump. It is an early bloomer. The $3\frac{1}{2}$ inch blossoms on a perfect stalk are very double of an exquisite shade of azure blue and pink with a small white bee or center. 1 pkt. (approx. 200 seeds) \$1.25, $\frac{1}{2}$ pkt. 65c.



A FLOWER OF PUDOR'S "PRIZE WINNER", "DREAM"
Life size, 3 inches.

Putting a silver dollar over the picture will make you realize the size of the flower.

PUDOR'S BLACK-VELVET-EYED WHITE DELPHINIUMS. After 2 years of careful rogueing and selecting plants, we have now plants that will produce a high percentage of large black-eyed double whites; many of our breeders have very large, coal-black glowing centers. All the plants are strong and vigorous and are true perennials, not apt to die after their first blooming season. You will get a few blues in a lot and all the whites will not have black bees. Please remember this when your plants begin to bloom. Owing to a general Delphinium seed crop failure the past year, we do not have a large quantity of seed. Per pkt. \$1.50, $\frac{1}{2}$ pkt. 80c.

Independence, Ohio.

I bought 3 dozen seedlings from your white plants, and 3 dozen of your Black-Velvet-Eyed seedlings and right now they are marvels of beauty. One white has individual florets 3 inches in diameter and looks like White Wonder as pictured in your catalog, with this exception: it has a nice golden brown bee. There are several lovely Black-Velvet-Eyed whites, a large white single and a large double white which has the inner petals (next to the bee) edged with a narrow border of black. There are also many other outstanding whites and in the 6 dozen plants all are white except four and these are double and such beauties, I would not sell them for \$1.00 each. According to another price list I have on white delphinium plants, I have plants that are worth many dollars, and to think the 6 dozen cost only \$5.25. Black-Velvet-Eyed whites are marked at \$12.00 per plant.

W. R. T.

SHAKUNTALA (Indian Princess). Our new very handsome hybrid, producing 4-ft. flower stalks with individual blossom stems 6 to 9 inches long, a most remarkable natural hybrid. Per pkt. (containing some 100 seeds) \$1.00. All seedlings will not breed true to the parent plant, but will be outstanding. The flowers are extremely double and triple; more like a rose, and no "bee" is visible. The whole center is filled with crinkly petals, the outer ones being of a beautiful clear blue color, the others a pleasing mauve. See photograph from life on back cover.



Pudor's Black-Velvet-Eyed White Delphinium. Very Rare.



PUDOR'S "WHITE WONDER" DELPHINIUM
Pure white, actual size 3 inches

WHITE DELPHINUMS, "PUDOR'S WHITE WONDER STRAIN." Vigorous tall growers, mildew proof with large double glistening, pure white blossoms, $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches in diameter. Centers are pure white, some cream, sometimes coal black (a mere chance). You must expect some blue rogues among the seedlings. Many customers think our strain of White Delphiniums is the best ever in texture, color, vigor and size of blossoms. Pkt. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{2}$ pkt. (100 seeds) 60c, 1/16 oz. (approx. 600 seeds) \$2.50.

Belmont, Idaho.

Gentlemen: I wish you could have seen the delphinium blooms and plants that I raised from your white seed. They were glorious, blooms that a silver dollar wouldn't begin to cover, and glistening pure white like they were covered with frost. There were two wonderful blue plants among them, too.

MRS. I. H. S.

BELLA DONNA TYPE. They will always succeed in the warmest section of the country where the Hybrids will fail; they are also more resistant to disease. Height, 3 to 4 feet.

CLIVEDEN BEAUTY. A beautiful azure blue; comes always true to type. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 1/16 oz. 30c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c.

BELLAMOSUM IMPROVED. Large deep blue flowers with a small white bee; blooms $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches across. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 1/16 oz. 30c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c.

PUDOR'S SAPPHIRE. A beautiful brilliant clear sapphire-blue; a lovely cut flower. Comes 90 per cent true to type. Per pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c.

CHINESE LARKSPUR (Delphinium Chinensis)

The Chinese Delphinium blooms from seed the first year if sown early and may be treated as an annual; though it is a hardy perennial and plants will last many years. Fine for beds and border masses. Rarely needs staking and is covered with flowers all summer and fall.

CHINESE BLUE BUTTERFLY. 18 inches. Deepest blue. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 40c.

AZURE FAIRY. Azure blue or light blue. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 40c.

CAMBRIDGE BLUE, New. A lovely light blue in the annual or Chinese class. Similar in color to the well known Belladonna, the color, however, far surpasses Belladonna in brilliancy, and is a rich clear blue. The plants grow to a height of about 2 to 3 feet, and make a very fine cut flower. Best treated as an annual, though in many sections it will prove a very satisfactory perennial. Per pkt. 20c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 75c.

CALIFORNIA-PACIFICA "BLUE JAY" STRAIN. (V. & R.) From our best self pollinated plants grown originally from the finest hand pollinated seed. Mostly clear and dark blues, violet and lavender shades, nearly always double, 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Pkt. 35c, 1/16 oz. \$1.75.

CALIFORNIA PACIFIC "IMPROVED" WHITE GALAHAD STRAIN. Originally from their finest whites. HAND POLLINATED. Pkt. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{2}$ pkt. 50c.

DIANTHUS OR PINKS

ALWOODI ALPINUS. One of the best rock garden pinks; many large doubles and fancy singles. Exquisite colors. Height, 6 inches. Per pkt. 25c, 1/16 oz. 60c.

"DELIGHT." A free flowering hybrid; wide range of colors; perfectly hardy and easy to grow; blooms the first season. Height, 9 inches. Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 60c.

WINTERI. Striking new pinks; wide range of color, deliciously scented; blooms first season; hardy. First Class Certificate Royal H. S. Per pkt. 25c, 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

DELTOIDES SUPERBUS (Major Stearn). Tiny rock pinks, grayish foliage, masses of dainty little flowers pink to crimson. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

PLUMARIUS. The old fashioned clove scented GRASS OR CLOVE PINKS. Self colors of various tints of pink, rose, salmon and white and the same colors in combination with a bright crimson zone. Blooms are $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 inches; stems 12 to 15 inches; free flowering.

D. PLUMARIUS "SPRING BEAUTY." Extra double Giant mixed. This is a very fine strain of this type of Dianthus; very superb to others. Per pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c.

BEST MIXTURE. Single and double mixed (not separate). Pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c.

SWEET WILLIAM (Pink Beauty). Pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c.

SWEET WILLIAM (Scarlet Beauty). Pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c.

SWEET WILLIAM (Barbatus). Finest mixture. Per pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c. Single or Double, say which.

SWEET WILLIAM. Single Giant White. Enormous trusses which might well be mistaken for Perennial Phlox. The individual flowers are almost twice the size of the ordinary Sweet William. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 45c.

DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

LITZ'S HYBRIDS. Novelty. Salmon-pink shades. 4 ft. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

THE SHIRLEY. Magnificent strain, enormous flowers from pure white to deepest rose. 5 ft. Mixed. Per pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c.

D. ALBA. Pure white Foxglove; very striking. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

GYPSOPHILA

PANICULATA Fl. Pl. ("Snow White"). Easy to raise from seed, blooms the first year if sown early. Mostly double flowers. Per pkt. 25c, 1/16 oz. 50c.

PACIFICA. A new pink Baby Breath. Very fine. Per pkt. 15c, 1/16 oz. 40c.



GEUM

LADY STRATHEDEN. Rich golden yellow double flowers. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 1/16 oz. 40c.

MRS. BRADSHAW. Large semi-double orange-scarlet. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 1/16 oz. 30c.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. A grand novelty in a striking shade of deep orange. The flowers are double and of extra size. A fine spot of color for the rockery. 18 inches. Per pkt. 20c, 1/16 oz. 50c.

HELIANTHEMUM (Rock Rose)

Finest mixture of these delightful, indispensable rock plants. Round evergreen cushions and thousands of little silky roses; pink, white, orange, yellow, red salmon, sulphur and old rose. True perennials. 6 to 12 inches high. **Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**

HEUCHERA (Coral Bells)

Height, 12 inches. Bright coral-red flowers on wiry stalks. Charming for low border or rock garden. **Per pkt. 25c.**

HOLLYHOCKS

TRIUMPH DOUBLE. Early flowering strain, containing a great variety of new colors; the flowers are gracefully waved and fringed. This is a wonderful hollyhock.

NEWPORT PINK. Beautiful double pure pink flowers of largest size.

DOUBLE YELLOW.

DOUBLE CRIMSON.

DOUBLE WHITE.

ENGLISH PRIZE MIXTURE. Chater's strain; extra fine.

Any of the above: **Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**

IBERIS (Candytuft)

GIBALTARICA. Flowers white tinged lilac. **Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.**

SEMPERVIRENS. Pure white flowers, evergreen habit. A gem. **Per pkt. 15c, 1/8 oz. 40c.**

ICELAND POPPY (Nudicaule)

SANDFORD'S GIANTS. Undoubtedly one of the best Iceland poppies. The color balance is excellent, the flowers immense and the stems the longest; fine for cutting. Bloom same season if sown early. **Per pkt. 15c, 1/16 oz. 35c.**

GARTREF STRAIN (Australia). Huge flowers on long stems; beautiful range of colors, ruffled edges. **Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**

COONARA PINKS. Iceland Poppy. A fine mixture of pink, apricot and light rose shades. **Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**

IRIS KAEMPFERI (Oriental Iris)

BEST MIXTURE. From all our named varieties that bear seeds (some don't), except from our "HIGO" Iris; bloom the second year from seeds. **Per pkt. 25c.**

FROM OUR "HIGO" PLANTS. 1/2 pkt. 50c. All seeds subject to crop.

LUPINS POLYPHYLLUS

SUPERB ENGLISH HYBRIDS. Seed saved from a collection of the very finest modern named hybrids; pink, crimson, apricot, orange, lavender, indigo and several fine bi-colors. Will produce beautiful seedlings. Sown early, will bloom the same year. Height, 3 to 4 feet. In finest mixture. **Per pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 50c, 1 oz. \$1.75.**

RUSSELL HYBRIDS. From our magnificent collection of carefully grown and selected plants from Mr. Russell's genuine best seeds. **Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. (approx. 150 seeds) 50c, 1/4 oz. (approx. 300 seeds) \$1.00; 1 oz. \$3.00.**

RUSSELL'S BI-COLORS such as pink and white; yellow and pink; purple and white; blue and white; not separate seeds but carefully mixed from the finest plants only; seeds rare. **Pkt. (approx. 50 seeds) 40c; 1/8 oz. 75c.**

LILIES

REGALE. One of the best and most satisfactory lilies. Easy from seed; bloom the first year, if all conditions right. Ripe not before October. **Per pkt. 15c, 1/8 oz. 25c.**

LINUM (Flax)

SIBIRICUM. Common blue flax. A lovely thing. **3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.**

NARBONENSE. Beautiful steel-blue glistening large flowers. **Per pkt. 20c.**

GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM (Scarlet Flax) is an Annual.

LOBELIA CARDINALIS

CARDINAL FLOWER. Tufts of bronze green foliage with spikes of fiery scarlet flowers. 2 feet July to October. **Per pkt. 15c.**

MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not)

ALPESTRIS. MESSIDOR (Blue Eyes). Beautiful deep blue. **Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**

PALUSTRIS. The lovely swamp forget-me-not. Up to a foot tall; clear sky-blue; blooms from June on. **Per pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 25c.**

PENTSTEMON (Beard Tongue)

Ordinary soil in the sun.

GLOXINOIDES, the English Garden Hybrids. Many-hued Gloxinia-like flowers. Half hardy. Needs protection in winter. **Pkt. 25c.**

PAPAVER (Oriental Poppy)

"EXCELSIOR MIXED." A very fine mixture ranging from delicate pink and salmon to deep crimson, and many other shades. **Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**



POLYANTHUS (Hardy Bunch Primroses)

HURST'S MONARCH STRAIN. Spring flowering hardy perennials. An improved giant flowered strain of strong constitution, throwing up strong stems which carry large heads of bloom, often 2 inches across, in vivid colorings ranging from white, cream and yellow, to scarlet, purple and crimson tones. Borne on strong stems, are excellent for cutting, as well as making a splendid show in the garden. You can't buy any better seed. Undoubtedly the finest of all strains of Polyanthus. **Per pkt.** (approx. 100 seeds) 25c, 1/16 oz., \$1.75.

BLUE PRIMROSES. A fine re-selected strain. Fall or spring planting. **Per pkt.** (approx. 100 seeds) 40c, 50 seeds 25c. No trouble in growing Primroses from good, fresh seeds, if you use care and good judgment. No free replacements.

PYRETHRUM, PERSIAN DAISY (Painted Daisy)

Pink, rose and red flowers on long stems; fine for cutting; blooms spring into fall; beautiful in the garden, easy to grow. Mixed, single and double—not separately. Doubles usually don't come until second flower crop. **Pkt.** 20c, 1/16 oz. 75c.

SHASTA DAISY

RICHARD DIENER'S FULLY DOUBLE STRAIN. Glistening white; a hardy and robust grower. It will come about 75 per cent true double. **Per pkt.** 25c, 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

MRS. C. LOWTHIAN BELL. Single, purest white, 6 inches across on long stems, continues to bloom until October. **Per pkt.** 15c, 2 for 25c, 1/8 oz. 35c.

SWEET ROCKET or HESPERIS

PUDOR'S PINK SWEET ROCKET. A fine orchid pink **Per pkt.** 25c; 1/8 oz. 40c.

THALICTRUM—MEADOW RUE

TH. AQUILEGIFOLIUM. Large branched heads of feathery flowers in pink and white; beautiful cut foliage; fine border plant; 4-5 ft. Seeds, mixed **pkt.** 15c.

TH. ADIANTIFOLIUM. Elegant foliage resembling that of the Maidenhair Fern. Admirable for bouquets, as the leaves retain their form for a long time when cut. Hardy perennial. Height 4 to 5 ft. **Pkt.** 15c.

TH. DIPTEROCARPUM. Tall growing perennial plants of great beauty, with loose sprays of clear mauve and primrose flowers; most graceful habit; thrive best in shade. **Pkt.** 25c. The seed of the latter is not ready until October-November, and the crops is doubtful. Sow in Fall as seeds need freezing to germinate. In Spring freeze in refrigerator for a few days. Please, say which you want; don't just order "Meadowrue." Thrives best in moist and half shaded locations.



SCABIOSA

CAUCASICA. House's Giant Hybrids. Hardy perennial; one of the most valuable plants. Blooms continually from early spring until after frosts, beginning four months from seeds. Beautiful large flowers in soft lavender blue and lilac shades. Soil of a gritty nature with some lime and perfect drainage. **Per pkt. 25c.**

TROLLIUS (Globe Flower)

EUROPEAN SPECIE Large, handsome globular flowers of a rich golden yellow or orange color. Blooms last of May and early June and often again in the late summer. Our own fresh seed. **Per pkt. 25c.**

LEDEBOURI "GOLDEN QUEEN." A very fine novelty. Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society, London. We offer again seed of this beautiful hardy perennial Trollius. It is a valuable garden plant and continues in bloom from June till October; in fact, we cut flowers outside as late as November. **Fresh seeds per pkt. 25c.**

VIOLAS OR TUFTED PANSIES

ARKWRIGHT RUBY. Novelty. One of the most distinct of all the bedding Pansies or Violas. The flowers are borne in great profusion. Delightful rich ruby-red flowers. Seeds will always be scarce as the plants are very shy seeders. **Per pkt. 25c, 1/16 oz. 60c.** Seeds will always be scarce as the plants are very shy seeders. **Per pkt. 25c, 3 for 50c; 1/16 oz. 60c.**

CHANTREYLAND. Masses of beautiful flowers in rich apricot shade, tinted orange towards the center. A better Sutton's Apricot. **Per pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 60c.**

YELLOW PERFECTION. A beautiful clear deep yellow. **Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 85c.**

BLUE BEAUTY. Early. A bright blue. **Per pkt. 15c.**

VIOLAS—Continued

KING HENRY (Purple King). Flowers 1 inch in diameter cover bushy plants 6 inches tall, during a long season. A deep purple violet with lighter center and yellow eye, an effective contrast. Violas have a much longer flowering season than Pansies, and will flower all summer if the faded blossoms are picked off. **Pkt. 25c.**

CHINESE BLUE. A round faced type such as Jersey Gem and Chantreyland. Color a so-called French blue, nearest substitute to the famous "Maggie Mott." (By the way, the latter does not bear seeds.) **Pkt. 25c.**

WEDGEWOOD. Free bloomer and hardy. The color is a deep clear Wedgewood blue, shaped like a pansy. This is one of the most charming Violas. **Per pkt. 25c.**

A SPLENDID LARGE FLOWERED MIXTURE. Ruby, bronze blue, golden yellow and many unusual shades. Special formula blend of only choice large flowered Violas. **Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 55c; 1/8 oz. \$1.00.**


GET THIS VALUABLE BOOKLET
Missouri Botanical Garden Bulletin, entitled
"GROWING PLANTS FROM SEEDS"

Handsomely illustrated with 29 photographs, showing the whole process of sowing seeds to the transplanting of the seedlings. It is by far the best bulletin on the subject we have ever seen. Through the courtesy of the Botanical Garden, we were given special permission to reprint this bulletin. Price 15c. Ask for it. It is sent free with all seed orders amounting to \$2.00 or more, if asked for with the order. Mailed separate, please remit 15c. The booklet is well worth 25c.

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ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS**ALL FLOWER SEEDS SENT POSTPAID**

PLEASE DO NOTE! As only such seeds as germinate well in our own establishment are supplied to customres, we will not and cannot accept responsibility for failure in the hands of others whose management, lack of equipment or lack of knowledge, may unconsciously be the cause of non-success.

 **All seed packs contain a liberal amount of seeds. If you have a large garden, the most economical way to buy seeds is in bulk, 1/16 oz. and up, where so quoted.**

In comparing competitive prices, be assured that you get fewer and often inferior seed at the lower prices.

To grow high grade seeds take more care and skill and costs more money, and it certainly pays in the end to buy only such seed. This refers particularly to Delphinium, Columbine, Primroses, Pansies, Sweet Peas, and Zinnias.

Fresh the seeds must be, of course, and be assured, ours are. Buying old or inferior seed is a waste of money and time.

ALYSSUM (Little Gem). Dwarf, compact habit; mass of white flowers last all summer. Four inches high. **Per Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

Alyssum Carpet of Snow. 2 inches. Fine for edging. 4 inches. Spreading habit. **Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

Sweet Alyssum, Maritimum White. Delightfully fragrant; masses of flowers. **Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

ALYSSUM "VIOLET QUEEN." A fine novelty. Bright clear violet hue holding its color well, covered with blossoms from early summer to freezing. Flowers in 45 days from seed sown in the open. Makes a lovely picture if mixed with the white Alyssum. **Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 35c.**

SNAPDRAGONS

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon). University of California **RUST PROOF**, mixed; tall grandiflora type. **Per pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c.**

RUST RESISTANT MAXIMUM. These plants bear beautiful spikes with large flowers on long stems, with 12 to 18 stems to a plant. Height, 3½ feet. **Copper King, Yellow Giant, Salmon Pink Shades, Salmon Rose Shades, Alaska (glistening white), Maximum Mixed.** Any, **pkt. 20c; 3 pkts. 50c.**

RUST RESISTANT NANUM, SEMI-DWARF. Large flowering. The best for bedding, fine for cutting. Height, about 18 inches. **Carmine Rose, Old Gold Shades (gold and apricot), Orange Shades, Wildfire (new bright orange scarlet), Yellow Gem (clear yellow), Pudor's Malmaison (pure silvery pink; outstanding), or Mixed.** Any, **pkt. 20c; 3 for 50c.**

RUST RESISTANT SUPER MAJESTIC. Base branching. Excellent for garden and cut flower purposes. Height, 3 feet. **Shell Pink Shades, Royal Crimson, Orange Shades or Super Majestic Mixture.** Either one, **pkt. 25c; 3 for 60c.**



DAHLIA

UNWIN'S ENGLISH MIGNON. Height, 15 to 18 inches. Lovely for the border; excellent for cutting. Wide range of lovely colors. Bloom 3 months from seed, blooming until frost time. Pkt. 20c, 1/16 oz. 40c, 1/8 oz. 60c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

ASTERS

CALIFORNIA DOUBLE GIANT ASTERS. Curled and interlaced. (Wilt resistant). The finest of all Asters, like a large Chrysanthemum; 6 inches on long stems. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 35c; 1/8 oz. 60c.

CALIFORNIA SUNSHINE ASTERS. Many consider these the most beautiful of all Asters. Shades of pink, rose, lavender and blue. Height 36 inches. All shades in mixture. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 35c; 1/8 oz. 60c.

SUPER GIANT ASTERS. Flowers often 6 inches across. Height 2 feet. El Monte (large flowering crimson), Los Angeles (immense clear shell pink). Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 40c. NOT IN MIXTURE!

CANDYTUFT

Rose Cardinal. Brilliant deep rosy-red. Six inches. Per pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c.

Umbellata Hybrida Nana. Dwarf group; fine mixture of colors. Six inches. Per pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c.

"White Empress." Giant hyacinth flowered with enormous trusses. Six inches. Per pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

**CORNFLOWER "JUBILEE GEM"**

A dwarf variety making a compact plant literally covered with flowers. It has a foliage distinct from all other Cornflowers, forming a tufted mass of vivid green, contrasting well with the dark but vivid double blue flowers. The plant is about 12 inches in height. A lovely pot plant, an ideal edging and border plant, a fine cut flower; THE ideal boutonniere, keeping in perfect shape without water for 24 hours. In continuous bloom from early summer until killed by frosts. Per pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 35c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

CENTAUREA GIANT SWEET SULTANS (Imperialis)

Finest for cut flower purposes. The beautiful, artistic flowers are borne on long, strong stems; when cut for the house, will last for several days; they have a soft fragrance and add much beauty to the garden picture. Colors: lilac, rich plum, crimson, rose, lavender and white. All mixed—NOT SEPARATE. Mixture Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c.

GIANT ANNUAL CARNATIONS

ENFANT DE NICE EVERBLOOMING. The plants are of robust upright habit (20 inches), with long, strong stalks bearing flowers $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches in diameter. This strain is magnificent. The colors come about 75 per cent true from seed and about 90 per cent of the plants come double. Clove scented.

Per pkt. (approximately 120 seeds), 25c; $1\frac{1}{16}$ oz. 75c. In mixture only.

CALENDULA (Pot Marigold)

CAMPFIRE. (Sensation.) Flowers are 4 inches wide, completely double of a deep orange. Especially selected stock. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

ORANGE KING. Rich deep orange red, dark center. Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

YELLOW COLOSSAL. Extra large Chrysanthemum type. $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch fully double flowers of a clear, bright yellow. Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25.

MIXTURE of art shades, contains delicate shades. Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

CLARKIA

This pretty and easily grown annual has been much improved in recent years, and the varieties offered below are excellent for cut flowers; they do well either in sun or shade, growing 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet high with leaf racemes of double flowers, which all open in water when cut.

English Brilliant Mixture. A selection of the finest double varieties. Per pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 15c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c.

COSMOS

New Double Crested Early Flowering Hybrids. A blended MIXTURE of Crimson, pink and white. June to October. Three feet. Mixed. **Per pkt. 20c; 1/8 oz. 45c.**

FLAX, GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM Scarlet Flax

A hardy annual of splendor and graceful appearance with fine foliage and bright red flowers. It makes beautiful beds or borders and is largely used for cut flowers. Scarlet Flax makes a fine fall and winter flower, blooming profusely for several months. May also be sown in the spring. Height 1½-3 feet. **Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

GYPSOPHILA. ANNUAL, BABY'S BREATH

"**Carmine Rose.**" A charming variety. 1 foot. **Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

Elegans Grandiflora "Convent Garden." Pure white. 1 foot. **Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

GODETIA

TALL DOUBLE GRANDIFLORA. Gladiola-like flowers in long trusses, excellent for cutting; 2 feet.

GODETIA DWARF (Satin Flower). One foot. **Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 25c.** Please say which you want.

ANNUAL LOBELIA Dwarf Varieties

CAMBRIDGE BLUE BEAUTY. Large light blue flowers with green foliage. **Pkt. 25c.**

CRYSTAL PALACE. Four inches. Deepest blue-dark foliage. **Pkt. 10c.**

EMPEROR WILLIAM. Gentian blue flowers, light foliage; one of the most popular. Four inches. **Pkt. 10c.**

TRAILING SAPPHIRE. Large deep blue flowers with a white eye.

For hanging baskets and window boxes. **Pkt. 15c.**

MORNING GLORY

Scarlett O'Hara. Is of a rich dark wine red or deep rosy-crimson color. **Per pkt. of 20 seeds, 10c; 1/8 oz. 25c.**

Clark's Early Heavenly Blue. The most beautiful of all Morning Glories. Plant in a sandy location late in the spring and water very sparingly. **Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 20c.**

IMPROVED "PEARLY GATES." An unsurpassed climber. Flowers are a satiny white with cream throat; lovely in combination with blue and red Morning Glories. Immense size like Clark's Heavenly blue. **Pkt. 25c.**

NASTURTIUMS

Madame Gunther's Hybrids. A mixture of brilliant colors. Climbing. **Per pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c.**

"Golden Gleam." The sensational novelty of 1932 which took like wildfire all over the world. A double, sweet-scented golden yellow Nasturtium. A most ovely cut flower subject and a bright spot in the garden. Price greatly reduced. **Per pkt. 15c; 1 oz. 35c.**

"Scarlet Gleam." Double VIVID ORANGE SCARLET. Highly recommended. **Per pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 25c; per oz. 45c.**

Glorious Double Gleam Hybrids. Mixed, a wonderful mixture of brilliant colors of double Nasturtiums. **Per pkt. 15c; 1 oz. 45c.**

MARIGOLD

Gigantea "Sunset Giants." A very fine 1937 novelty that has found uniform admiration among gardeners everywhere. **Per pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 35c.**

New Marigold "Sunrise." Chrysanthemum-flowered type; 100% fully double. Tall bushy growth, rich green foliage; fine stems for cutting; brilliant golden yellow flowers. Winner of Award of Merit. **Per pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 35c.**

DWARF FRENCH MARIGOLD

Harmony. Dwarf, compact, early golden yellow, bordered maroon red. **Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.**

Sunkist (New). Bright golden orange; a veritable gem in the garden. Early and free blooming, a dazzling color for the border, window box or flower pot. **Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 40c.**

Spry. Dwarf, compact, yellow bordered mahogany. **Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; 1/8 oz. 40c.**

Royal Scot All Double. New. Dwarf compact plants and 100% double. This beautifully striped French Marigold is truly double and grows to a height of only 12 inches. Rich mahogany and gold in uniform stripes. **Pkt. 20c; 1/8 oz. 40c.**

NEMESIA

Suttons. Large flowered in beautiful colors. One foot. **Per pkt. 15c; 2 pkt. 25c.**

You miss a lot if you don't grow Nemesias. Blooms till freezing.

NEMOPHILA

Baby Blue Eyes. A lovely low growing hardy annual; height 6 inches. **Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 25c.**

POPPY

Annual Double Shirley Poppies. Begonia flowered; mostly shades of shell and flesh pink; delicate rose and salmon pink of entrancing beauty, like a full blown begonia. Height, 2½ feet. Choicest mixture. **Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. (which is a great plenty) 25c.**

Shirley Poppy, Single. 2½ feet. Choicest mixture. **Per pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 20c.**



ANNUAL LARKSPUR

REMEMBER LARKSPURS ARE COOL WEATHER PLANTS. THIN YOUR PLANTS OUT TO 2 FEET APART AND ALLOW TO BRANCH. FOR BEST RESULTS CHILL THE SEEDS IN THE REFRIGERATOR FOR 24 HOURS—THIS IS THE IDEAL TREATMENT FOR BEST RESULTS.

THIS FALL SOW YOUR SEEDS BROADCAST IN NOVEMBER AND SEE THE FINE RESULTS YOU WILL GET.

GIANT IMPERIAL SECTION. Tall, upright; height, 4 to 5 feet.

Blue Spire. Intense deep Oxford blue.

Blue Bell. Azure blue.

CARMINE. Deep carmine rose.

ANNUAL LARKSPUR—Continued

Dazzler. Rich scarlet.

Exquisite Pink. Soft pink shaded salmon. Award of Merit Royal Horticultural Society.

Lilac King. Rich pure lilac; fully double. Closely spaced florets.

Pink King. A lovely soft shade of salmon rose. One of the earliest of all Larkspurs, coming in with the Stock Flowered "Rosamond."

"Rose King." A bright deep rose shade. Florets are fully double, closely spaced on 2 to 2½ foot cutting spikes.

White King. Dazzling pure white. Huge flowers.

SEEDS of any of the above NAMED varieties; Per pkt. 15c, 3 for 35c; any 6 pkts. for 60c.

Giant Imperial Mixed. A well balanced mixture of all the colors. Per pkt. 15c; ¼ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 75c.

DOUBLE STOCK-FLOWERED LARKSPUR. Four feet, branching—

Double Stock-Flowered Mixed. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 60c.

PHACELIA (Campanularia)

Most beautiful deep blue flowers like a gentian; 6 inches. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; ¼ oz. 35c.

**PANSY**

Only the very best seed will give you superior flowers. Sow the seed early in the fall if possible in order to obtain large plants by the late fall, or sow very early in spring.

There are cheaper pansy seeds to be had but it truly pays to buy the best in pansies; they cost more to produce. Why waste your time and effort in growing small, inferior sorts?

The pansy seed we offer below is the VERY BEST to be had and can be depended upon to give the highest satisfaction and greatest joy.

SUPER SWISS MASTODON MIXED (by Steele). The world's finest pansy seed. Huge jewels of velvet and red and gold with many variations.

CORONATION GOLD. The largest and finest yellow with lightly ruffled edges. An Award of Merit in All-America selections.

GRAND DUKE MICHEL. The largest all-white pansy.

SWISS ALPENGLOW. Rich garnet shades.

SWISS THUNER "SEA-BLUE." The most beautiful shade of blue we have ever seen. Makes huge plants with long stems. The price is 50c for a whole pkt., and 25c for ½ pkt.; 1/16 oz. \$1.00. A whole pkt. contains approximately 200 seeds and ½ pkt. approximately 100 seeds. Please order plainly: whole or halves.



POPPY, CALIFORNIA

Echscholtzia Double "Monarch Art Shades." Like beautiful rosebuds.

Special Hybrid Mixture. Containing soft pink, scarlet, copper, red, claret and royal purple, as gorgeous as a Persian rug. Per pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 30c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

PHLOX DRUMMONDI GIGANTEA

A new strain of Phlox Drummondii with flowers an inch and a quarter to an inch and a half in diameter. The Art Shades have a most wonderful range of color in soft art shades. The colors range as follows: Salmon with white eye, deep salmon with cream eye, Appleblossom, soft rose with white eye, light blue with white eye, pale violet with white eye, light mauve with cream eye, rose with white eye and many other pleasing art shades.

The soft colors blended together make a most beautiful mixture and a color combination never before seen in annual Phlox. Plants about 9 inches high.

Art Shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

Salmon Glory. A deep salmon with cream eye. Also selected from the Art Shades.

Price of Salmon Glory is 15c per pkt; 1/16 oz. 40c.

SALPIGLOSSIS

Sutton's Large-Flowered Chelsea Hybrids. Gold veined; velvety red, rich purple; 2½ feet. All mixed. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

STOCK, SUPER GIANT IMPERIAL

This type grows 3 feet tall, is base branching; each plant producing 12 to 15 huge flower spikes. The individual flowers measure 2 inches or more in diameter. When in full bloom, each spike will have from 40 to 50 florets blooming at the same time.

BLUSH PINK.

DARK BLUE.

FIERY RED.

ROSE CHARM. A beautiful rich deep rose.

ROSELIGHT. Rose-pink.

Per pkt. 15c; any 3 for 50c. (The 5 colors 65c.) 1/16 oz. of any one color, or mixed, 35c.

STOCKS (Ten Weeks Mammoth Flowered)

Ten Weeks Stocks are so named because they bloom in ten weeks after planting the seed.

Excellent either for spring or fall sowing, grow to a great size with numerous spikes of bloom. Height, one foot.

BEAUTY OF NICE. Delicate shade of flesh pink, early flowering.

CANARY YELLOW. Beautiful clear canary yellow.

LIGHT BLUE. A fine light blue.

MONT BLANC. Large pure white.

NUIT D'ETE (Summer Night). Rich royal purple; highly commended.

ROSE OF NICE. Beautiful rosy-mauve, a distinct and elegant shade.

Seed of any of these named varieties, per pkt. 10c straight. 1 pkt. of each of the six varieties, 50c; 1/16 oz. 30c. A grand mixture with a high percentage of doubles, pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 30c; ¼ oz. 50c.

SPECIAL NOTICE: A large percentage of DOUBLES can be expected but some single blossoms must be expected, but these are very lovely and useful cut flowers.

SNOWDRIFT. Very early flowering and produces many side stems, each thickly set with blooms of pure snowy-white. Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 35.

LARGE-FLOWERING WINTER OR BROMPTON STOCK

A famous magnificent group, 1½ to 2 feet high; will bloom at Christmas outside in milder climates if sown in the early part of the summer—a hardy biennial. You have missed a fine thing if you have never grown the BROMPTON STOCK.

FINEST BROMPTON MIXED: Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

VIRGINIA STOCK

These charming annuals for edgings and beds should be better known. Six inches. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

ZINNIAS

SUPER CROWN OF GOLD, Pastel tints. The finest large-flowered Zinnia, with large well formed flowers. Contains a wide range of pastel shades, including soft yellow, old gold, light pink, various shades of salmon, peach, and buff, cerise salmon, white, and cream, each petal overlaid at the base with deep golden yellow. Flowers are borne profusely throughout the season on strong, robust plants. Mixed shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 25c; ⅛ oz. 40c; ¼ oz. 75c.

HOWARD'S GIANT CRESTED. Striking new large flowered CRESTED ZINNIAS; they are very charming flowers; fine for cutting. Not all will come true to type. A fine novelty. Height, 2 feet. Pkt. 20c; ⅛ oz. 30c; ¼ oz. 50c.

ZINNIA (California Giant Dahlia Flowered)

The finest of all strains. 2½ feet.

CRIMSON MONARCH. Deep crimson, flowers very large.

DESERT GOLD, CROWN O' GOLD. Beautiful deep golden yellow shades.

DREAM. Deep rosy lavender.

EXQUISITE. Light rose, deep rose center.

ILLUMINATION. Deep rose self.

LUMINOSA. Bright deep pink.

OLD GOLD. Deep and lighter shades of old gold.

ORIOLE. An immense orange and gold bi-color.

WILL ROGERS. Loveliest and most brilliant scarlet red.

ANY OF THE ABOVE NAMED VARIETIES, Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; any 3 for 35c; ⅛ oz. of any one named variety (not in mixture) 40c.

ONE EACH OF 9 NAMED VARIETIES, \$1.00.

Special Gold Medal Mixture of the above and Several other choice Named Varieties, Not a Field Run mixture, per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; ⅛ oz. 40c; ¼ oz. 75c.

LILLIPUT or MIGNON ZINNIAS. Small, button-like fully double flowers of gorgeous colors. Long stems for cutting and basket work if heavily manured. 1½ feet. Mixed color. Per pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 30c.

Rosebud. A lovely rose-pink or in Mixture, per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; ¼ oz. 30c; ½ oz. 50c.

LILLIPUT "TOM THUMB." Plants 4 to 6 inches, covered with well forced flowers; colors range through the red, orange, yellow, pink, rose and other pastel shades. Excellent for pot plant and border use. **Finest Mixture**, per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; ½ oz. 30c.

ZINNIA FANTASY MIXED. New chrysanthemum-like Zinnias of a smaller flowering and more graceful appearance than the popular giant flowered varieties. The rounded flowers are composed of a mass of shaggy ray-like petals which give a delicate and refined appearance to the medium sized double flowers. The color ranges from the brightest shades of reds and orange to the popular pastel pinks and beautiful creams. **Seeds:** Per pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c; ½ oz. 30c; ¼ oz. 50c.

VERBENAS (HYBRIDA GIGANTEA)

BEAUTY OF OXFORD HYBRIDS. A beautiful giant strain. Color shades from clear rose-pink to rose-red, making this the brightest rose Verbena ever produced from seed. Florets easily cover a silver half dollar. **Pkt., 15c; ½ oz. 65c.**

ROYAL BOUQUET, Finest Mixed. Upright, large flowers, auricula eyed, brilliant mixed, especially good for pot culture. **Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 65c.**
They grow only 6 to 12 inches tall but spread to 2 feet across. In bloom continuously.

FINEST SWEET PEAS

12 GLORIOUS GIANT SPENCERS

Amethyst, bright clear blue, exceptionally large. **Bonnie Lassie**, salmon-pink on cream. **Brilliant Rose**, tyrian rose. **Fiery Cross**, bright orange-cerise. **Gigantic**, white. **Gloria**, cream, picott edged rose. **Pinkie**, large rose pink. **Powerscourt**, large lavender. **Red Boy**, pure rich crimson, long stems, vigorous. **Tangerine Improved**, rich orange. **The Admiral**, dark violet blue. **Welcome**, dazzling scarlet.

The above Giant Spencers are particularly recommended for summer blooming and will thrive in any climate where sweet peas will grow. Many of the flowers are ruffled and wavy and the fine assortment of color shades makes them an excellent assortment for the home garden and for cut flowers.

All of the above varieties priced at 15c per pkt. or 40c per oz., postpaid. (1 oz. to 25 feet.)

All 12 for \$1.00.

Giant Spencers Mixed. A fine mixture of strong growers and desirable varieties. **Per pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c; ¼ lb. 90c.**

EARLY FLOWERING SPENCER SWEET PEAS

In some localities where other sweet peas suffer from hot weather, many gardeners are now planting the **EARLY SWEET PEAS** with much success. These are also popular in frost-free sections. We offer 12 colors: Rose-pink, lavender, pink and white, blue, cream, crimson-red, scarlet, white, rosy purple, salmon pink, salmon-cerise and rose. These are sold only in well blended mixture. **Per pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; 1 oz. 65, postpaid.**

BURPEE'S SWEET PEAS

The finest strain in existence. Extra vigor, producing flowers of giant size on long stems in exquisite colors, with many sprays of four to a stem if grown right.

GIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEAS

Waved and ruffled, the long-stemmed blooms have the appearance of double flowers. In 6 **SEPARATE COLORS:** **Crimson, Blue, Salmon-Pink, Rose Pink, Primrose, Salmon-Cerise.** **Per pkt. 15c; per oz. 40c,** either separate colors or in Mixture of the above and other desirable colors. All postpaid. (1 oz. to 25 foot row.)

NOVELTY "SPRING FLOWERING" SWEET PEAS

This new type will be a great boon to amateur gardeners throughout the country and particularly in warmer climates and where the hot summer weather plays havoc with the late and early flowering type of Spencers. Enthusiastic reports have come from many parts of the country. In California this new type of "**SPRING FLOWERING**" Sweet Peas is creating a sensation. There are better shades than ever seen in the early flowering or late flowering types and the self colors are much clearer and brighter. The blooming season is between the early and the late types. Stems are longer and the flowers last longer.

A fine **MIXTURE** of the 12 **BEST "SPRING FLOWERING" SWEET PEAS.** **Per pkt. 25c; Per oz. 70c; ½ oz. 40c.** (1 ounce to 25 foot row.)

CULTURE OF SWEET PEAS

First and most important, plant as early in the spring as the conditions will permit. Seeds should be sown at the rate of 1 oz. to 25 feet. Make a trench about 3 or 4 inches deep, planting seeds in the bottom about 2 inches deep, pressing the soil firmly. After the plants are well up, thin to 4 or 5 inches apart and draw the soil around them until the trench is filled above the level. This gives a depth to the roots, preserving the moisture. Keep the ground well worked and water if needed, an occasional soaking down being better than a daily sprinkling. Keep the flowers cut close.

Subject to crop, we again offer this grandest and sweetest of all Sweetcorn on the market.

Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn

Seed is scarce. ORDER EARLY! There is never enough to fill late orders.

Originated in Ohio, it is supposed to have been given to some person named "Aunt Mary" by the Indians, and handed down through the family for many years and was again put on the market some three years ago by a Mr. Bonnewitz. It is taking the country by storm and not enough praise can be given it.

Never was sweet corn that tasted as sweet. It will stay in good condition for table use for two or three weeks. It stays in milk so long that natural ripening is impossible; ears that were ready for table use in October were still in milk when hard frosts killed the plants in November.



BY ALL MEANS GIVE THIS SWEET CORN A TRIAL THIS YEAR AND YOU WILL COME BACK FOR MORE NEXT YEAR. Make your first planting during May—two weeks apart; make another one the second week in June, another the last week in June, and the last planting the first week in July, and this will furnish you sweet green ears in early October.

We have had reports from customers having the ears for table use for Thanksgiving. They had made late plantings of seed in June and July.

PRICE OF SEED. Enough for 50 to 75 hills 25c. 3 PACKS for 60c. ½ pound will produce approximately 500 plants and costs 70c, **postpaid**, West of the Rocky Mountains, 75c **postpaid**, East of the Rocky Mountains.

SPECIAL PRICE BY THE POUND. West of the Rockies, \$1.15 **postpaid**. \$1.25 East of the Rockies.

BY EXPRESS, charges collect \$1.00 per pound, anywhere.

 **Hundreds of customers in all sections of the U. S. feel likewise.** 

Concord, North Carolina, January 11, 1944

Our "Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn" was marvelous last year. Enjoying it now canned. Tastes most like fresh.

Plainview, Nebraska, January 14, 1944

I just want to say we never enjoyed or raised such a surprise as "Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn." We had it very dry here but it didn't seem to hurt it and for two full months we had corn from one planting 'till frost killed it. I tell everyone about it.

Los Angeles, California, February, 1944

We had some of "Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn" last year and it was the best corn we ever ate. It is absolutely the sweetest and tenderest sweet corn ever grown.

Elmire, New York, February 26, 1944

I have grown "Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn" for the last two seasons and have never eaten better.

Bellingham, Washington, March 14, 1944

Enclosed is a check for one-half pound of Aunt Mary's Sweet Corn. It is a grand corn. Had our last meal on October 30th, and was it good!

Mrs. R. B.

PERENNIAL PLANTS

We have decided that, owing to adverse conditions caused by the war, we will discontinue the retailing of all perennial plants, including seedlings of all kind, until conditions, and particularly labor conditions, become normal once more. Only time can tell when that will be.

This will not affect our Iris and bulb business, nor of course, our seed business. We shall continue to grow and sell these as heretofore and will devote our time and best efforts to the betterment of our Delphiniums and Iris, and serve you with the very best and highest grade of flower seeds and bulbs as heretofore. We are continually expanding our Iris collection and have added this season many of the finest novelties as you will notice by looking over our list.

All orders for Delphinium seedlings and plants which we have now on our files for early fall delivery will all be filled in due course and the Delphinium seedlings which we will have left over next spring will be gladly disposed of locally and in the states of Washington and Oregon (not further away), at our usual prices. There will not be many.

PRICES will be 10c, 15c and 25c each, according to prices; quality the same—the best.

No orders accepted for less than \$1.50, and in DOZEN lots only, all of one size; please, don't mix the sizes to make up a dozen plants. We can't do it. Locally called for, 10% off.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Owing to war conditions, shortage of labor, etc., it is very likely that we will not grow and sell Chrysanthemum plants in the Spring. Should conditions become more favorable by February, we will issue a separate Chrysanthemum List by March 1st and mail you a copy. Plants will not be ready until May, should we grow them, and then only for customers in our state, Oregon and Idaho. Not further away.



JAPANESE IRIS KAEMPFERI (The Former Japanese Iris)

The month of August and early September is probably the best time for the transplanting of these Iris. They may also be planted in the early spring, up to April 30th. After that they have made too much of a long leaf growth and they are not apt to recover for blooming that same season. We will not send them out after May 1st, unless you want to take the chance and have them sent by Express, charges collect. May 10th is the deadline in an average year.

FERTILIZER. We use well-rotted cow, chicken or rabbit manure, and for acidity, small quantities of aluminum sulphate tech. The richer and more moist the ground, the bigger the blossoms; you can't get size in poor soil and without lots of water.

WE OFFER BOTH FOR FALL AND SPRING PLANTING
Order By Number If You Prefer

1. **AKASHI.** Beautiful ruby-crimson; light pink halo surrounds yellow blotches; very large petaloid stigmas. 3 petals.
2. **AYASHI.** Sold out.
3. **BEYA.** A beautiful, large, stunning flower. Pale lavender blotched and veined deeper purple, getting bluer towards the center with bright clear yellow radiating centers; petaloids white edged purple. Single (3 petals).
4. **DATEDOGU.** Rich claret-red with orange blotches surrounded with a blue halo radiating out into elegant lines; standards light claret and white, petaloid stigmas white tipped and border pale claret; very large flower. Growth medium. Single 3 petals).
5. **HINODE-SAKURA** (Cherry flower at Dawn. Grayish pink with blue veins, yellow blotches; petaloid stigmas light purple. A stunning 6 petal double flower.
6. **HOPI GIRL.** (Formerly Pudor's seedling 190/200.) Three immense petals of rich royal purple.
7. **KAMAKURA-BENI.** Sold short.
8. **KASUGANO.** Six petalled double flower. Delicate red-lilac with lilac halo surrounding yellow blotches and radiating out into feathers and pencilings; petaloid stigmas violet, stained gray. An exquisite flower.
9. **KONGO-SAN.** Six petalled double flower. Deep blue overlaid with dark purple with deeper blue veins radiating; orange blotches; petaloid stigmas purple.
10. **KON-PEKI.** A tall lavender-blue, radiating into deep purplish blue veins; petaloid stigmas purple. Six beautiful petals.
11. **KIMI-GA-SODE.** A very large bright pure deep blue. A rare beauty. Sold out until Fall, 1945.
12. **KURO-KUMO.** Six petalled double flowers. Purple overlaid with dark blue, yellow blotches; stigmas dark blue bordered purple.
13. **MAHOGANY.** Six petalled double flowers. A very dark rich mahogany-red color; one of the best dependable varieties.
14. **MATA HARI** (Eye of the Morning). Sold out until fall, 1945.
15. **MIRANDA.** (A new seedling by Pudor.) A large six-petalled orchid-pink beauty, clearer pink than NORMA and a more vigorous grower with an abundance of dark green, healthy foliage. **Price for this, 75c a clump.** Not until spring, 1945.
16. **MORNING MIST.** Three immense white crinkled, creped petals with the slightest breath of light blue tint. Always a sell-out.
17. **NORMA.** Six petalled large double flowers. This variety is always the cynosure of all eyes. An exquisite silky lavender-pink with a clear blue halo surrounding a golden star in the center. One of the best pinks, a rare color in this iris specie. A strong grower and liberal bloomer. Not until spring, 1945.
18. **PO-LA-MA-NA.** (Butterfly Girl, Indian.) Formerly listed as Pudor's seedling No. 5. A six-petalled double beauty of a rich velvety purple with a golden center; comes sometimes extremely double.
19. **SHIRATAKI** (White Waterfall). Six immense pure white petals; a very beautiful well-known iris.
20. **YOMONO-UNI.** An imported, 6 petalled double beauty. Beautiful light porcelain-blue with darker blue veining; an exquisite flower. Rare. **Price of this one is 75c.**

Prices of Japanese Iris, except where listed at a higher price, 50c for a clump with two well developed fans, each one of which should produce a flower stalk the first year, if grown well. This price is for all points West of the Rockies (Texas excluded). East of the Rocky Mountains the price is 60c postpaid (including Texas). We advise express shipment, not pre-paid. We will send you larger plants.

RARE IRIS KAEMPFERI "HIGO" Immense Flowers having CREPED PETALS

These "Higo" Iris Kaempferi have been very jealously guarded in the lands of the Mikado. For several years we have tried to buy the seeds, but to no avail, and finally, four years ago, we succeeded in importing five of the best specially selected varieties, of which we have now a small stock growing of three varieties, one having been lost, and one huge snow-white not for sale yet.

SHIMEI-NO-AKI. Deep, porcelain-blue with white veins. Six creped petals. **Price, \$1.50 each plant.** Not until spring, 1945.

SEKIYO. Beautiful deep scarlet, white at the base; six creped petals. This one sold short 'till Fall, 1945.

SHIVEN. Beautiful, double velvety purple flowers. Six creped petals. This one sold short 'till Fall, 1945.

A CHOICE LIST OF NEW AND GOOD OLD BEARED IRIS
(Germanica)
DELIVERY ONLY FROM JULY FIRST TO NOVEMBER FIRST
(NO SPRING SALES)

Prices in this Iris List supplant those in all previous price lists. Please do not order from any previous catalog!

CANADIAN CUSTOMERS will please add 15c per pound to their order and will have to obtain plant permit from the Plant Bureau at Ottawa before shipment can be made. For large orders we advise Express Shipments.

IN THE UNITED STATES IRIS ORDERS AMOUNTING TO \$1.50 OR LESS ARE NOT PREPAID AND MUST INCLUDE 25c POSTAGE WHEN ORDER IS GIVEN.

On large orders we advise Express Shipment, the customer paying the forwarding charges, in which case we will send extra plants free of charge to make up part of the forwarding charges.

We cannot too strongly recommend July and August planting for Iris. **WE CANNOT SHIP BEFORE JULY1 NOR AFTER NOVEMBER 1.**

NOTICE TO LOCAL CUSTOMERS: If you expect to come to the gardens for Iris plants on Sunday, we request that you call us on the telephone or send in your order during the week so we can dig the rhizomes Saturday. We will not always be able to dig Iris on Sundays.

Prices for Iris as quoted below are for one new plant or one rhizome which will bloom next season and on which the new side shoots or "babies" will develop before winter sets in; this will be your increase for next year. In July these new eyes are very small but will grow rapidly during August, September and October.

Consequently, in July, the new rhizomes weigh very little, but each month thereafter they increase rapidly in weight until in October the plants of vigorous sorts will weigh as much as one pound, which means two pounds when packed; the postage on such a plant would be 15 cents to the Central States and 25 cents to the East. So you can readily figure out that we could not afford to pay the postage on any variety quoted at 25 to 50 cents. So please note carefully:

PRICES FOR IRIS AS QUOTED BELOW INCLUDE THE POSTAGE TO ANY PLACE IN THE UNITED STATES—BUT ONLY FOR JULY DELIVERY WHEN THE RHIZOMES ARE SMALLEST AND LIGHTEST IN WEIGHT.
For August delivery, please add the following postage to the net prices quoted:

Number Ordered	West of the Rockies	Central States	Southern & Eastern States
4	10c	18c	25c
6	13c	24c	35c
10	17c	35c	55c
11 to 15	25c	45c	75c

Over 15 plants by Express, Charges Collect

For month of September delivery, please add the following postage to the prices quoted:

Number Ordered	West of the Rockies	Central States	Southern & Eastern States
4	15c	24c	35c
6	22c	36c	55c
10	30c	55c	85c
11 to 15	45c	80c	\$1.25

Over 15 plants by Express, Charges Collect

For the month of October and onwards, when most of the plants are really big clumps with their "children" grown up, we recommend Express shipments only, which will not be prepaid. They can be sent by Parcel Post if you choose so, but the full postage has to be forwarded with the order.

WE CANNOT FILL IRIS ORDERS FOR LESS THAN \$1.50 UNLESS YOU WILL PAY 25c EXTRA FOR PACKING AND POSTAGE.

WHEN IRIS ARE SENT BY EXPRESS, THE PURCHASER PAYING THE FORWARDING CHARGES, WHICH ARE VERY REASONABLE, IN SOME CASES NOT MORE THAN PARCEL POST OR ONLY A LITTLE MORE, WE WILL SEND YOU TWO EXTRA PLANTS IN THE 25-CENT CLASS—YOUR CHOOSING, PROVIDED YOU BUY AT LEAST 10 IRIS.

ALL IRIS PRICED 25c EACH, ARE 3 FOR 60, DURING JULY ONLY, but must be of the same variety. YOU CANNOT ORDER THREE DIFFERENT PLANTS FOR 60c.

- ALTA CALIFORNIA.** Fine yellow, large blooms. S. clear yellow; F. deep yellow faintly bronzed. Four feet tall. July delivery. 25c.
- AMIGO.** A rare color gem that should be in every garden. Standards are a clear light lavender violet. Falls deep hyacinth violet. This beautiful color combination reminds one of a velvety blue purple pansy. Altogether a very rich, lovely Iris that you will love. Height, 34 inches. \$1.00.
- ANITRA.** One of the loveliest, clearest pure light blue Irises. Like the lovely color of that old favorite Celeste. The flowers are extra large of beautiful form and heavy substance. The standards are domed and the falls broad and flaring. The plants are vigorous and free flowering. It has an Honorable Mention and the rating is high. In July, 35c.
- ANNE MARIE CAYEUX.** One of the finest color blends; a metallic lustre of heliotrope-pink and violet. A jewel. Height, 32 inches. July delivery. 25c.
- ANGELUS.** Award of Merit. A lovely pale pink-lavender blended with cream. Large size and fine flaring form. Be assured it is an outstanding new Iris. In July. 50c.
- BALLERINE.** Wisteria-blue bi-color of immense size. Very sweetly scented. A great favorite. Height, 3 feet. July delivery. 25c.
- BLACK DOUGLAS.** See under "THE BLACK DOUGLAS."
- BLACK VALOR.** A medium sized free blooming plant. A rich velvety gloss violet-black; even the beard is dark. Late. Height, 33 inches. 90c.
- BLUE VELVET.** A great beauty—a good doer everywhere. Royal shade of the richest blue suggesting dark blue velvet. Height, 42 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BRUNO.** One of the five best Iris. S. bronze heliotrope; F. rich velvety violet purple. Height, 3 feet. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BRUNHILDE.** Tall, dark blue-violet self. Large blooms, perfect form, flaring falls. Beard blue—branched stalks. An excellent novelty. Height, 40 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- BURNING BRONZE.** A dark red self, almost afire with a bronze suffusion. Falls are flaring and extra large. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1933. An excellent novelty. Height, 40 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- CALIFORNIA GOLD.** Magnificent, deep yellow, large blooms. Does not fade. Late blooming. Height, 30 inches. A superb novelty. July delivery. Each 25c.
- CALIFORNIA PEACH.** A warm peach pink and apricot shaded blend; large blooms of fine forms gracefully placed on tall wide branched stems. Height, 30 inches. Mid-season. \$6.50.
- CHEERIO.** One of the brightest red, flushed dull gold. "A flame in the garden." Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1936. Height, 38 inches. One of the best new "Red." July delivery. Each 25c.

CHINA MAID. The large flowers of beautiful texture are carried on tall graceful stems and are of an exquisite beauty that will thrill you, a lovely blend of pink, golden bronze and soft lilac. It is one of the best introductions in this color class. You cannot help but like it tremendously. In July 75c.

CITY OF LINCOLN. Winner of many honors. Destined to be "THE" top notch Iris Novelty. It was the cynosure of all eyes in our Iris field the past season. A tall, huge striking variegata of clear bright yellow with velvety bright red falls. 40 inches tall, a perfect beauty when well grown. We are most enthusiastic about this marvelous Iris and any praise given cannot be too high. In July, 75c.

- COPPER LUSTRE.** A distinctive and unusual Iris. A glowing copper and gold blend, color iridescent like a new copper penny. Height, 30 inches. Mid-season. One of the most noteworthy new Iris. In July, 35c.
- CRYSTAL BEAUTY.** 40 inches tall; a dazzling white of great beauty; a graceful rounded flower. July delivery. Each 25c.
- DAUNTLESS.** In color effect, a brilliant red bronze. Immense blooms. Dykes Medal. Height, 40 inches. July delivery. Each 25c.
- DEPUTE NOMBLOT.** One of the world's greatest Iris. A Dykes Medal Winner. S. purple, shaded old gold; F. wide, of a rich claret-crimson. 42 inches tall. July price, 25c each.
- DESERT GOLD.** One of the largest yellows, clear, bright tone; early and fragrant. Height, 30 inches. July price, 25c each.
- DIRECTEUR PINELLE.** A beautiful dark bronze-red of great size. S. clear coppery wine red. F. semi-flaring, velvety red with an almost black lustre. 42 inches tall. A strikingly handsome Iris. July price, 25c each.
- E. B. WILLIAMSON.** A new glowing rosy-copper red blend, with a lustrous silken sheen. Has a color all of its own. Strong vigor, stems are low branched. It always attracts attention. Won a gold medal in Italy as the finest Iris in that year. Only 75c.
- EASTER MORN.** A giant white on tall branched stalks, flaring falls. Very distinct. Mid-season. Height, 4 feet. Hardy everywhere. July price, 25c each.

- EDWARD LAPHAM.** The top notch NEW RED. A uniform color, no bi-color. Watch this Iris. Conceded to be the reddest Iris to date. \$15.00.
- EL CAPITAN.** A magnificent, most popular Iris. Huge flowers of a soft lavender blue. An outstanding, striking Iris. Early. Height, 28 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1929. July price, 25c each.

ELMOHR. A 1942 sensational novelty by Mr. Loomis. One of the finest recent introductions. It is a seedling of that beautiful and famous William Mohr. Unlike its parent it is hardy in any climate and a good strong grower which William Mohr is not. The color is an exquisite shade of reddish mulberry and the immense blooms are spaced on well branched stems; they have its parent's lovely rounded form and unique manner of venation. A healthy vigorous plant that will grow for you as any regular garden Iris, which William Mohr will not, for which reason we have discarded William Mohr. It will thrill you as it has everyone who has seen it. \$10.00.

- ELSA SASS.** An outstanding Iris that immediately takes one's eye; a most enticing color of pure sulphur and chalcidony yellow; it seems like a cool frost is hovering over its petals. This surely is an Iris that will endure. \$2.00 each.
- EROS.** A fine salmon pink, iridescent, silky flower. Very fragrant, vigorous and a good fast grower. Height, 42 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1934, and again in 1936. July price, 25c each.
- ETHEL PECKHAM.** Wonderful, brilliant red; large, perfect flowers; probably the best of all "reds" yet produced. Very fragrant. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1932. A new winner. July price, 25c each.
- ETHELWYN DUBUAR.** One of the best and most satisfying lilac pinks. Very large flowers of a uniform shade with a lemon beard. Quite pink in effect when planted with blue or purple Iris. 25c.
- FAIR ELAINE.** Honorable Mention American Iris Society 1939. A very lovely outstanding new Iris. The first yellow bi-color. Standards cream-white; the falls rich gold with a deep gold beard. A distinct innovation in the class of yellow Iris and a splendid achievement of Mr. Mitchell. We cannot recommend this Iris too highly. \$1.50.
- FRIEDA MOHR.** One of the best Iris in the world. Large, deep pink tones; perfect form, brilliant color. Long flowering season. Height, 42 inches. July price, 25c each.
- GLORIOLE.** A giant ice-blue of unmatched substance overlaid with a sparkle-like frost crystals. Wonderfully beautiful and it's ruffled too. A rare find at only 25c in July.
- GOLDEN MAJESTY.** A deep yellow hardy Iris said to be one of the four best yellows. Flowers are large of heavy substance, holding their color well; it is a good grower and increaser. 75c.

GOLDEN TREASURE. Award of Merit. An exquisite solid deep-cream Iris of scintillating silkiness in the golden center of the flower. It is tall, perfectly branched and very floriferous. You will love it. In July, 40c.

GREAT LAKES. Got Honorable Mention from the Iris Society in 1939. An Award of Merit in 1940 and now in 1942 received the coveted great DYKES MEDAL for the best Iris of 1942. It is the purest blue without any veining; the beard is almost white. Blooms are flaring, the stalks finely and widely branched, 4 feet. A grand new light blue Iris. \$1.50 each.

- GUDRUN (K. Dykes, England).** One of the finest new whites. Very large pure white blooms, lightly dusted with gold at throat. Golden beard. Height, 3 feet. Royal Hort. Society, Dykes Memorial Medal, 1931; Award of Merit, American Iris Society, 1936. This is a new winner. July price, 25c each.
- HAPPY DAYS.** A tall perfect, clear yellow Iris; beautiful branched, each stalk carrying seven or eight massive blooms. Height, 40 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society. July price, 25c each.
- INDIAN CHIEF.** Very fine and striking. S. pinkish red. F. deep rich velvety red. Large well formed flowers. A great beauty. July price, 25c each.
- JEAN CAYEUX (Cayeux, France).** A Dykes Medal Winner. One of the finest introductions of recent years. Well formed, frilled flowers of a pale brown, shot with gold; a touch of blue at the beard. A super Iris. Winner of highest honors both in France and England. July price, 25c each.
- JUNALASKA.** A very striking new red Iris. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1936. S. coppery red, suffused rose. Falls red. An excellent novelty. July price, 30c each.
- LADY PARAMOUNT.** A super brilliant tall primrose yellow of great size. Mid-season. Height, 40 inches. An excellent Iris. In July, 25c.
- LOS ANGELES.** A giant snow white, with faint edgings of lavender-blue. One of the three best whites. Hardy everywhere. July price, 25c each.
- MABEL TAFT.** A giant, wonderful blue with velvety falls. One of the largest Iris grown. Mid-season. July price, 25c each.

MARQUITA (Cayeux). Huge flowers of creamy yellow standards with falls of the same color lined ruby. A most beautiful distinct Iris, 42 inches tall. In July, 50c. Always an early sell-out.

MARY GEDDES. A beautiful, unusual Iris. S. light salmon. F. same shade but overlaid Pompeian red; the effect is an orange-salmon. Very floriferous. Height, 40 inches. Dykes Medal Winner, 1936. July price, 25c each.

MELCHIOR. Beautiful red bronzy claret self; orange beard. Falls ruffled velvet. Mid-season. Height, 36 inches. July price, 25c each.

MELDORIC. One of the best. The flowers are very large and blue-black with a golden beard. A very popular Iris. Height, 30 inches. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1931. July price, 25c each.

MIDGARD. S. and F. yellow, flushed with clear pink. Free bloomer and a strong grower. Height, 30 inches. You should have this lovely Iris. July price, 25c each.

MISS CALIFORNIA. One of the new large jinks. The huge perfect flowers are of a beautiful lilac carried on tall, well branched stalks. Mid-season. Height, 48 inches. This Iris received an Honorable Mention in the American Iris Society. 60c.

MISSOURI. One of the best new blue Iris. Extremely large flowers of a very beautiful rich blue with an enamel-like finish. A profuse bloomer and very hardy; lovely fragrance. Mid-season. Height, 3 feet. Winner of the Dykes Medal, 1937. In July, 50c.

MODISTE. A fine silky lilac-lavender. Full rounded flovers, ideal growing habits with a sturdy branching stem. \$1.00.

MONADNOCK (by Salbach). This is Mr. Sahlbach's description: "One of the few really fine Iris in the rose shades. The color is so vivid that MONADNOCK can be seen in its true color at a great distance. Very vigorous grower and generous producer of fine big blooms. Late. Height, 44 inches." \$1.00.

MOROCCO ROSE. A new NEAREST TO PINK Iris; fine form with semi-flaring falls. Unlike most so-called "PINK" Iris, which are small, Morocco Rose has really big flowers. A grand outstanding pink Iris. \$1.50.

MOHRSON. A beautiful, hardy William Mohr seedling. It is a charming, beautiful Iris, more vigorous than its parent. The flowers are immense with standards of rich clear deep violet with a shining varnished-like surface; the falls are a beautiful shade of violet, closely veined. 2½ feet tall, of easy culture. An Iris that will take your breath away. July price, 50c.

MRS. VALERIE WEST (Bliss, 1925). S. bronze; F. deep velvety purple. A gigantic flower on well branched stems. a world famous Iris. Height, 36 inches. July price, 25c each.

MULBERRY ROSE. Unlike any other Iris. One of the most unusual colors that has been developed in Iris in the last few years. It is thought by experts to be one of the few finest Iris of late years. The large blooms of radiant, beautiful mulberry rose (in the deep pink class) are on tall, well branched stems. A glorious unusual novel color. WATCH MULBERRY ROSE! \$8.00.

NARANJA. Richest of all the yellows; huge blooms. Falls distinctly orange. Standards bright yellow. Honorable Mention American Iris Society, 1936. Late. Height, 40 inches. A new, most distinctive Iris. In July, 25c.

NO-WE-TA. A beautiful, true pink self; yellow flushed at the center and edges of F. and S. Beautifully curled, frilled and ruffled. One of the most beautiful. July price, 25c each.

NOTE CAREFULLY: PRICES QUOTED HERE FOR IRIS PREPAID P. P. DELIVERY, ARE FOR JULY DELIVERY ONLY. AFTER JULY 1ST, ADD POSTAGE AS EXPLAINED AT THE HEAD OF THE LIST, UNLESS YOU WANT THEM SENT BY EXPRESS, CHARGES COLLECT, IN WHICH CASE WE WILL SEND YOU TWO EXTRA ONES GRATIS FROM THE 25c CLASS; PROVIDED YOU BUY 10 OR MORE IRIS.

OLD PARCHMENT. Award of Merit. A light creamy tan, with golden buff overlay; a distinctly beautiful new Iris of a most unusual color. Standards are "domed" and closed, the falls flaring; blooms are huge, heavy, of substance and of a lasting quality. Height, 3 feet. Each \$2.00.

ORMOHR. Another Wm. Mohr seedling and the best so far. Perfectly hardy and easy to grow. Three feet tall with giant flowers of a uniform gray-lavender, veined violet. A faint rosy glow envelopes the entire flower and unlike the short William Mohr it has tall stems branching near the top. A gorgeous and unusual Iris. \$1.00.

PINK SATIN. Lovely, brilliant, glistening, light pink, on tall, well branched stalks. Height, 3 feet. July price, 25c each.

PLUIE D'OR ("Golden Rain" Cayeux, France). Tall, pure rich yellow. Free flowering, hardy and a rapid grower. Winner of the French Dykes Medal. Height 36 inches. July price, 25c each.

PRAIRIE SUNSET. The new sensation in the Iris world. A magnificent sort by the famous Hybridiser, H. P. Sass. A color combination that reminds one of a glorious glowing sunset. An artistic blending of pink, apricot and rose, with a sprinkling of gold with a glow of a beautiful rainbow. The flowers are large, the stems 30 inches. Altogether a top ranking Iris with the finest color seen in any Iris; destined to enjoy the very greatest popularity. The price is low now and will remain at the present level for some time to come, so acquire it now and enjoy its beauty. It sold in the neighborhood of fifty dollars when it first made its appearance in 1939. You can have it this year at \$4.50. Not many to be had from any grower.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. Rich golden orange flaring flowers, widely spaced on graceful stems. Mid-season. Height, 40 inches. \$1.50.

RADIANT. A beautiful vivid bi-color. Standards burnished golden bronze; falls velvety copper-red. Beard bright orange. One of the most strikingly brilliant, outstanding Iris. 75c, 3 for \$2.00.

RAMESES. Winner of Dykes Medal, American Iris Society. The big flowers are freely produced in rich gold, apricot, and pink, beautifully blended. Mid-season. Height, 30 inches. July price, 25c each.

RED DOMINION. A beauty of rich red velvet. One of the most popular Iris grown. Height, 42 inches. July price, 25c each.

RED GLEAM. Award of Merit—eligible to the 1942 Dykes Medal. A new real red Iris, the nearest approach to scarlet, of rich velvety brilliant texture. Semi-flaring form; height, 3 feet. Each, \$2.00.

ROSY WINGS. A most delightful color combination of iridescent rosy-red and copper tones, with a conspicuous orange beard. Tall, stately, well branched with the largest blooms. Height, 38 inches. 1939 Dykes Medal Winner and other honors. You know what that means. In July, 25c.

RUTH POLLOCK. One of the finest yellow plicates. The yellow standards are broad and full, edged and dotted with dark red brown. The falls are a clear yellow with heavy border of red brown. The beautiful flowers are borne on strong, widely branched stems. The plant is vigorous and floriferous. Height, 36 inches. \$3.00.

SABLE. A rare novelty. Almost black; a lustrous rich shade of deep blue-black violet of great brilliance. Very large sized flowers of excellent substance on tall, 36 inch stems. A glorious Iris that is here to stay. \$2.00.

SANDALWOOD. A new pale bronze of beautiful form and a lovely silky sheen. An improved Jean Cayeux. An outstanding Iris. In July, 40c.

SENSATION (Cayeux, France). The peer of all blue Iris. Cornflower blue, fragrant, flowers beautifully arched and falls flaring. Late. Height, 3 feet. July price, 25c each.

SIERRA BLUE. Soft, clear blue without veining. Winner American Dykes Medal in 1935. Always in big demand; stock scarce. Height, 42 inches. Early. July price, 25c each.

SHAH JEHAN. A most sensationally colored Iris, well named after the Shah on his Peacock throne. The standards are delicate creamy buff, faintly edged lavender; the falls very rich velvety chestnut with glowing copper, changing to a gorgeous tone of velvety purple; the beard is rich orange. An outstanding Iris that you will love, and the price only 25c, 3 for 60c.

SHINING WATERS. A lovely, clear campanula blue, beautiful texture, a great tall stem, well branched, carrying 12 or more buds. An Iris of great beauty and poise. Award of Merit American Iris Society, 1935. Mid-season. Height, 48 inches. July price, 25c each.

SNOW KING. One of the top notch white Iris. Regal and radiant of purest white, a King of White Irises. Tall, branching of regal splendor and hardy everywhere. July price, 35c.

SNOW FLURRY. A gem. Beautiful ruffled blue-white; unopened buds are lightly tinted blue but the blooms open a pure white. The strong stems are literally covered with the pure white blossoms lasting a long while and they are deliciously scented. A very strong growing variety; stock is quite scarce. Height, 4 feet. Early. \$4.50.

SPOKAN. The most brilliant red-brown blend in shades of copper and red. S. glowing reddish-brown; F. red overlain blackish-brown. A most attractive Iris. July price, 25c.

STORM KING. One of the top notch dark Iris; it shares with SABLE, which is a deep blue purple, while STORM KING is a true purple, the joint honor of being the outstanding dark Iris in commerce today. The standards are beautifully domed; the falls are wide and flaring with wonderful substance. Late. Height, 48 inches. \$12.00.

THE BLACK DOUGLAS. A huge deeply colored flower of dark and blackish violet; the blue beard is tipped yellow. A very striking Iris. 36 inches. July price, 25c each.

THE RED DOUGLAS. Winner of the 1941 Dykes Medal as the best novelty of 1941. One of the best of the new reds—a real red of plush-like substance. Extra large blooms, well formed; tall, branching stems. Altogether a rare and noble Iris. \$1.00.


TREASURE ISLAND. A grand new GLORIOUS YELLOW with gigantic bright, clear yellow flowers on tall stems; bright orange beard. One of the finest clear GOLDEN YELLOW. Price 50c.

VIOLET SYMPHONY. A gleaming violet self. A matchless beauty bearing many perfectly shaped blossoms. Mid-season. Height, 40 inches. \$5.00.

WABASH. Winner of the 1940 Dykes Medal! Enough said. Many think this to be one of the finest Iris to date. Standards are white, falls a bright violet with a white margin. Flowers are large on well branched stalks 3 feet tall. You will be happy with this famous Iris. Wabash received more votes than any other Iris. In July 75c.

WINNESHIEK. An imposing, lustrous, gigantic, rich blue-black beauty, a deep intense violet. Mid-season. Height, 36 inches. July price, 25c each.

ZAHAARON (Dykes, England). Indescribably beautiful, a blend of amber, buff, yellow, fawn and softest violet. A strong grower. Height, 42 inches. July price, 25c each.

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Two Iris Free!

Iris Bargain for July Delivery Only

ANY 12 DIFFERENT PLANTS SELECTED IN THE 25-CENT CLASS FOR \$2.50, PREPAID!

During the month of August these same 12 plants will cost you \$2.75, prepaid, for the reason that the postage will be more on account of the plants being larger and weighing more.

And during September and October the 12 plants will cost you 25c each straight, because they are now nearly twice the size as they were in July, and are not prepaid.

Plus 25c postage West of the Rocky Mountains.

Plus 50c postage to all States between the Rocky Mountains and the Mississippi.

Plus 75c postage to all Eastern and Southern States.

NOTE CAREFULLY: PRICES QUOTED HERE FOR IRIS PREPAID P. P. DELIVERY ARE FOR JULY DELIVERY ONLY. AFTER JULY 31st, ADD POSTAGE AS EXPLAINED AT THE HEAD OF THE LIST, UNLESS YOU WANT THEM SENT BY EXPRESS, CHARGES COLLECT, IN WHICH CASE WE WILL SENR YOU TWO EXTRA ONES GRATIS FROM THE 25c CLASS; PROVIDED YOU BUY TEN OR MORE IRIS.

BULBS FOR FALL PLANTING (Not Spring)

ALL BULBS ARE SUBJECT TO CROP AND WAR-TIME CONDITIONS

ORDER YOUR LILY AND IRIS BULBS EARLY! DON'T PUT IT OFF UNTIL FALL, AS YOU MIGHT BE DISAPPOINTED. THERE IS A SHORTAGE, ESPECIALLY IN MADONNA LILIES AND IRIS BULBS.

FRESHLY DUG LILIUM REGALE

(With their Roots Intact)

We have a limited supply of HEALTHY HOME GROWN BULBS for November delivery, of one size only: LARGE 9-10 inch bulbs. These bulbs have already bloomed for the past three seasons and will produce large stalks with many blossoms next year. **PRICE 60c EACH, POSTPAID WEST OF THE ROCKIES; 3 FOR \$1.75; 6 FOR \$3.50; A DOZEN FOR \$6.50 PREPAID. BY EXPRESS CHARGES COLLECT, 50c PER BULB STRAIGHT; \$45.00 BY THE HUNDRED.**

EAST OF THE ROCKIES (including Texas and Oklahoma), 65c EACH POSTPAID; 3 for \$1.85; 6 for \$3.65; 12 for \$7.00, Prepaid. BY EXPRESS CHARGES COLLECT, 50c EACH STRAIGHT. By the 100, \$45.00.

Delivery of the Regals will be in November, but it appears that all we can spare will be sold long before then. So you had better send in your order EARLY. 50% cash with orders for a Dozen or more will secure you the bulbs, if nothing unforeseen happens; the balance as soon as they are ready.

The Regal Lily is easily grown from seed. 15c per pkt; 1/8 oz. 25c; 1/4 oz. 40c.

LILIUM CANDIDUM (The MADONNA or ST. JOSEPH'S LILY)

These lilies are about as scarce as the proverbial hen's teeth. We can sell only a few hundred of a medium-large BLOOMING sive, 7-8 inches, **Price, 55c each**, west of the Rockies, and 60c each postpaid east of the Rockies. No reduction by the Dozen. BY EXPRESS, NOT PREPAID, 50c EACH BULB. Fresh, healthy bulbs, not out of storage.

PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM. The **GLORIOUS "SUNSET" LILY.** Brilliant jewel-like flowers of a rich vermillion with red tips of the petals with a deep golden throat, thickly spotted with purple-black spot. One of the easiest lilies to grow; requires no special care. Large blooming size bulbs, **each, 25c.** Smaller blooming size, **20c each,** postpaid.

LILIUM BELLINGHAM HYBRID "SHUKSAN." A new glorious lily, vigorous and hardy and of easy culture. Tall wiry stems dotted with the gleaming flowers of warm yellow, spotted reddish brown. The color has been compared to leopard's skin. 8-9 inch bulbs, **90c each;** 9-10 inch size, **\$1.15,** postpaid.

ATTENTION! All Lily Bulbs are subject to crop. Please order your bulbs **EARLY;** don't wait until August or September. Lily bulbs especially are going to be short. **If you prefer pay only 20 per cent of your lily bulb order down with your order; balance when bulbs are ready.** Madonna lilies in August; Regals, *Pardalinum Giganteum* and *Shuksan* in October.

CAMASSIA LEICHTLINI. Deep blue A fine plant with many flowers of the finest, even form, star-shaped, and as large as an inch and a half across. It flowers in long succession in May. **\$1.10 per dozen, postpaid.**

CAMASSIA CUSICKI. The finest of all Camassias. Elegant spikes of large, pale lavender starry flowers with yellow anthers. Height, 2 feet; blooms in May. **25c each; 2.50 per dozen, postpaid.**

LEUCOJUM (Snowflake). Produce pretty, nodding white flowers somewhat like a Giant Snowdrop on tall, 18-inch stems. They bloom at the same time as Tulips, or a little earlier, and are lovely subjects for the spring garden, too little known. **Large round bulbs, 3 for 40c; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.** Double-nosed bulbs, **15c each, straight.**

MUSCARI-GRAPE HYACINTH. Heavenly blue. Early spring blooming bulbs; charming in the border and in the alpine garden. Largest size, **70c per dozen, postpaid.** Smaller blooming size, **60c.**

SCILLA CAMPANULATA. Blue. Large size, **60c per dozen, postpaid.** Three dozen for **\$1.75 postpaid.**

SCILLA Pink. Same prices as for the blue.

BEAUTIFUL ENGLISH IRIS

BLEU CELESTE. Beautiful soft sky blue. 6 large blooming bulbs, **70c; \$1.30 for 12,** postpaid.

MONT BLANC. Handsome pure white. 6 large blooming bulbs for **70c; \$1.30 for 12, postpaid.**

MIXED COLORS. Six large bulbs for **60c; \$1.10 per dozen; 3 dozen for \$3.00, postpaid.**

In cold climates give some mulch protection. Every two years divide the bulbs.

DUTCH AND SPANISH IRIS BULBS

These Iris bulbs vary in price according to the size of the bulbs. We sell only the large size, first quality of bulbs sure to bloom outdoors in your garden, so don't be misled by lower prices, the bulbs will certainly be smaller in size.

Bulbs must be planted in November to remain in the ground for two or three years, when the colonies then formed must be divided in August, and replanted in September. It will be found that the bulbs have tripled and quadrupled.

Plant these Iris bulbs in well-drained, light, sandy loam. If possible, fertilize with bone meal at planting time, and mulch well during the winter in cold climates.

DUTCH IRIS (Finer New Varieties)

Large Size Bulbs. Not Less Than 12 of a Variety Sold.

WHITE EXCELSIOR. Uniform pure white, falls very broad. Very good form and substance. Height, 22 inches. **70c per dozen.**

YELLOW QUEEN. 28 inches tall. Both the standards and falls golden yellow. Perfectly lovely. **70c per dozen; 3 dozen for \$2.00, postpaid.**

MIXTURE. A well blended mixture, **65c per dozen; 3 dozen for \$1.90, postpaid.** Per 100 by express, charges collect, **\$4.50.**

TINGITANA HYBRID "WEDGEWOOD." The handsomest of all. Not hardy outside in the coldest sections of New England, but a great Iris for forcing or for milder climates. A large, clear light-blue self-color. Largest bulbs 9/10 cm. circ. **85c a dozen; 3 dozen for \$2.50, postpaid.** Per 100 by express, charges collect, **\$6.00**

PLEASE NOTE: If you lose your bulbs during the winter and they fail to come up in the spring, it is not our fault nor the bulbs', so do not ask us to replace them the following year. If you plant the bulbs in November or even December, in well-drained soil, then upon approach of cold weather mulch them well, you won't lose them.

SPANISH IRIS

First or Top Size Bulbs, 6 to 7 Cm.

These bloom ten days to two weeks after the Dutch Iris, and bloom with the late German Iris. They are lovely, graceful flowers, charming cut flowers lasting from a week to ten days after being cut, all the buds blooming out.

CAJANUS. A glorious golden yellow self; the tallest of them all.

A LOVELY MIXTURE. Not less than one dozen sold. Prices for any of the above straight colors or mixed, 65c per dozen, 3 dozen for \$1.90. All postpaid.

SPANISH IRIS "GOLDEN LION." Novelty. A very beautiful "frilled" yellow. Height, 2 inches. Golden-yellow "frilled" falls; standards lemon-yellow, not so much frilled as the falls. a beauty. **Per dozen, 95c; 3 dozen for \$2.75.** All postpaid. 50c for six largest bulbs.

PRESERVE THIS CATALOG FOR YOUR 1945 SPRING ORDERS

Owing to war conditions we will not publish and mail a separate Spring Catalog in 1945.

Please preserve this catalog for your 1945 Spring orders. Fresh seeds, both annuals and perennials from the 1944 seeds crop, will be ready in the early fall. Some, such as Delphiniums, Lupins and Columbine, by August 1st.

When January comes, and you find that you have misplaced our Catalog, don't hesitate to ask us for another one, but we won't have much of a surplus left and printing a second edition costs money and might even be out of the question. So won't you please preserve this Catalog and not throw it away or lose it? Thank you.

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Natural Size 3 Inches

**Pudor's Delphinium
"SHAKUNTALA"**

OUR SENSATIONAL NEW DELPHINIUM "SHAKUNTALA"

The 3-inch blossoms are borne on stems which are 6 to 9 inches long.

Note the individual long flower stems, from 5 to 9 inches.

For description see page 3.